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Dear Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants hereby petition that the three-month period for response to the Examiner's Action, mailed March 16, 1998, be extended for three (3) month(s) to September 16, 1998.

In response to the Examiner's Action, mailed March 16, 1998, an amendment is filed concurrently herewith.

A check in the amount of \$950.00 for the three (3) month extension fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(c) is submitted herewith. In the event that the check is not

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